THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS
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- Details of this week's contests
- List of following week's contests
- Contest log submittal addresses and deadlines for recent contests

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THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS:

ARRL January VHF Sweepstakes: 1900Z, Jan 17 to 0400Z, Jan 19
  Mode: Any
  Bands: 50 MHz and up
  Classes: Single Op (Low/High)
           Single Op Portable
           Rover
           Limited Rover
           Unlimited Rover
           Multi-Op
           Limited Multi-Op
  Max power: HP: 1500 watts
             LP: 200 watts PEP 50/144 MHz
             LP: 100 watts PEP 222/432 MHz
             LP: 10 watts PEP 902 MHz and above
  Exchange: 4-character grid square
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 1 point per 50 or 144 MHz QSO
              2 points per 222 or 432 MHz QSO
              4 points per 902 or 1296 MHz QSO
              8 points per 2.3 GHz or higher QSO
  Multipliers: Grid squares once per band
               Rovers: grid squares operated from once regardless of band
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: February 18, 2009
  E-mail logs to: JanuaryVHF[at]arrl[dot]org
  Mail logs to: January VHF
                ARRL
                225 Main St.

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                Newington, CT 06111
                USA
  Find rules at: http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2009/jan-vhf-ss.html

Run for the Bacon QRP Contest: 0200Z-0400Z, Jan 19
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: Single Band
           All Band
  Max power: 5 watts
  Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + (Member No./power)
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with non-member
              3 points per QSO with member on same continent
              5 points per QSO with member on different continent
  Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once
               Multiply mults by 2 if >50 members worked
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: January 26, 2009
  E-mail logs to: (none)
  Upload log at: http://www.fpqrp.com/autolog.php
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.fpqrp.com/fpqrprun.php

NAQCC Straight Key/Bug Sprint: 0130Z-0330Z, Jan 22
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 80, 40, 20m
  Classes: (none)
  Max power: 5 watts
  Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + (NAQCC No./power)
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with non-member
              2 points per QSO with member
  Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once
               Key Type Mult: 2x if straight key, 1.5x if bug, 1x if other
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults x key type mult
  Submit logs by: January 26, 2009
  E-mail logs to: naqcc33[at]alltel[dot]net
  Post log summary at: http://home.alltel.net/johnshan/sprintlog.html
  Mail logs to: John Shannon, K3WWP
                478 E. High St.
                Kittanning, PA 16201
                USA
  Find rules at: http://www.arm-tek.net/~yoel/sprint200901.html

NCCC Sprint: 0230Z-0300Z, Jan 23
  Mode: (see rules)
  Bands: (see rules)
  Classes: (none)
  Exchange: (see rules)
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: January 25, 2009
  E-mail logs to: (none)
  Post log summary at: http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/
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  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm

CQ 160-Meter Contest, CW: 2200Z, Jan 23 to 2159Z, Jan 25
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 160m Only
  Classes: Single Op (QRP/Low/High)
           Single Op Assisted (High)
           Multi-Op
  Max operating hours: Single Op: 30 hours
                       Multi-Op: 48 hours
  Max power: HP: >150 watts
             LP: 150 watts
             QRP: 5 watts
  Exchange: RST + (state/province/country)
  QSO Points: 2 points per QSO with own country
              5 points per QSO with other countries on same continent
              10 points per QSO with other continents
              5 points per QSO with maritime mobile
  Multipliers: Each US state (excluding KH6/KL7)
               Each VE area
               Each DXCC country (including KH6/KL7)
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: February 28, 2009
  E-mail logs to: 160cw[at]kkn[dot]net
  Mail logs to: CQ 160-Meter Contest
                25 Newbridge Road
                Hicksville, NY 11801
                USA
  Find rules at: http://cq-amateur-radio.com/160_Rules_2009.pdf

YL-ISSB QSO Party, SSB: 0000Z, Jan 24 to 2359Z, Jan 25
  Mode: SSB
  Bands: All
  Classes: (none)
  Exchange: RS(T) + name + (state/province/country) + YLISSB No.
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 2 points per QSO with YLISSB member
              3 points per QSO with non-member
  Multipliers: (see rules)
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: March 20, 2009
  E-mail logs to: ve1jim[at]ns[dot]sympatico[dot]ca
  Mail logs to: Jim Flowers, VE1JIM
                13 Rufus Ave
                Halifax, Nova Scotia B3N 2L4
                Canada
  Find rules at: http://www.ylsystem.org/qsoparty/qsodates.htm

REF Contest, CW: 0600Z, Jan 24 to 1800Z, Jan 25
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: Single Op All Band (QRP/Low/High)
           Single Op Single Band (QRP/Low/High)
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Multi-Single (QRP/Low/High)
Club
SWL
Max operating hours: Single Op: 28 hours in no more than 3 increments of at least 1 hour each
Max power: HP: >100 Watts
LP: 100 Watts
QRP: 5 Watts
Exchange: French: RST + Department/Prefix
non-French: RST + Serial No.
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: French: 6 points per QSO with French station same continent
French: 15 points per QSO with French station on different continent
French: 1 point per QSO with non-French station same continent
French: 2 points per QSO with non-French station on different continent
non-French: 1 point per QSO with French station same continent
non-French: 3 points per QSO with French station on different continent
Multipliers: French/Corsica departments once per band
French overseas prefixes once per band
non-French DXCC countries once per band (available only to French stations)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: February 24, 2009
E-mail logs to: cdfcw[at]ref-union[dot]org
Mail logs to: F6CTT, Joseph Cornee
31, rue des EcoButs
44230 St Sebastien Sur Loire
France
Find rules at: http://concours.ref-union.org/reglements/actuels/reg_cdfhf_fr_0610.pdf

MIE 33 Contest: 1100Z-1500Z, Jan 24 and 2300Z, Jan 24 to 0300Z, Jan 25
Mode: CW, Phone
Bands: All, except WARC
Classes: Single Op (CW/Mixed)
Single Op Single Band (CW/Mixed>
Multi-Multi
SWL
Exchange: Mie: RS(T) + age + "ME"
non-Mie JA: RS(T) + age + "MEJ"
non-Mie non-JA: RS(T) + age
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: Mie and non-Mie JA: 1 point per QSO
non-Mie non-JA: 1 point per QSO with Mie or non-Mie JA
Multipliers: Each age once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: February 28, 2009
E-mail logs to: je2mde[at]jarl[dot]com
Mail logs to: JARL Mie Branch
c/o H. Masuda
750-30 Kanonjicho
Tsu, Mie 514-0062

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                Japan
  Find rules at: http://www.ztv.ne.jp/isoda/33/annual/32/32rule-e.html

BARTG RTTY Sprint: 1200Z, Jan 24 to 1200Z, Jan 25
  Mode: RTTY
  Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: Single Op Expert
           Single Op
           Multi-Op
           SWL
  Exchange: Serial No.
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
  Multipliers: DXCC countries once regardless of band
               JA, W, VE and VK areas once regardless of band
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults x continents
  Submit logs by: March 1, 2009
  E-mail logs to: ska[at]bartg[dot]org[dot]uk
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.bartg.org.uk/contests/SprintRules2009.pdf

UBA DX Contest, SSB: 1300Z, Jan 24 to 1300Z, Jan 25
  Mode: SSB
  Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: Single Op All Band (Low/High)
           Single Op Single Band (Low/High)
           Single Op QRP
           Multi-Single
           SWL
  Max power: HP: >100 watts
             LP: 100 watts
             QRP: 10 watts
  Exchange: ON: RST + Serial No. + province
            non-ON: RST + Serial No.
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 10 points per QSO with Belgian station
              3 points per QSO with other EU stations
              1 point per QSO with non-EU stations
  Multipliers: Each Belgian province once per band
               Each Belgian prefix once per band
               Each EU DXCC country once per band
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: February 24, 2009
  E-mail logs to: ubassb[at]uba[dot]be
  Mail logs to: Du Bois Dimitri, ON4IT
                Witgerstraat 31
                B-9310 Herdersem
                Belgium
  Find rules at: http://www.uba.be/hf_contests/rules/ubatest_dx.pdf

SPAR Winter Field Day: 1700Z, Jan 24 to 1700Z, Jan 25
  Mode: Any
  Bands: All, except WARC
  Classes: Operators(1/2/Multi) Site (Indoor/Outdoor/Home)
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Exchange: RS(T) + Category + Temperature(including F or C)
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Bonus: 1000 points if commercial power not used
Bonus: 1000 points if outdoors
Bonus: 1000 points if not at home
Multipliers: One for each mode operated per band
Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults) + bonus points
Submit logs by: February 28, 2009
E-mail logs to: winterfd[at]spar-hams[dot]org
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.spar-hams.org/contests/winterfd/index.php?pg=2

NEXT WEEK'S CONTESTS:

SKCC Sprint	0000Z-0200Z, Jan 28
NCCC Sprint	0230Z-0300Z, Jan 30
SARL Youth Day Sprint	0700Z-1100Z, Jan 31
ARS Spartan Sprint	0200Z-0400Z, Feb 3

CONTEST LOG SUBMITTAL DEADLINES FOR RECENT CONTESTS

Please consult the individual contest rules to determine what log
documentation must be submitted (i.e. summary sheet, dupe sheets, etc.).

RAEM Contest: January 18, 2009
E-mail: rw4wr[at]srr[dot]ru
Mail: RAEM Contest
P.O.Box 3945
Izhevsk 426011
Russia
Find rules at: http://www.qrz.ru/contest/detail/88.html

NCCC Sprint: January 18, 2009
E-mail: (none)
Post web summary: http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm

NCCC Sprint: January 19, 2009
E-mail: (none)
Post web summary: http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm

Croatian CW Contest: January 20, 2009
E-mail: 9acw[at]9acw[dot]org
Mail: Hrvatski RadioAmaterski Savez
for Croatian CW Contest
Dalmatinska 12

10000 Zagreb
Croatia
Find rules at: http://www.9acw.org/rules.html

Russian 160-Meter Contest: January 20, 2009
E-mail: contest[at]radio[dot]ru
Mail: Radio Magazine
10 Seliverstov per.
107045 Moscow
Russia
Find rules at: http://www.qrz.ru/contest/detail/90.html

ARCI Holiday Spirits Homebrew Sprint: January 21, 2009
E-mail: contest[at]qrparci[dot]org
Mail: ARCI Holiday Spirits
c/o Jeff Hetherington, VA3JFF
139 Elizabeth St. W.
Welland, Ontario L3C 4M3
Canada
Find rules at: http://www.qrparci.org/component/option,com_extcalendar/Itemid,/extmode,view/extid,65/lang,en/

AGB New Year Snowball Contest: January 22, 2009
E-mail: eu1eu[at]qsl[dot]net
Mail: Igor "Harry" Getmann, EU1EU
P.O.Box 143
Minsk 220005
BELARUS
Find rules at: http://www.qsl.net/eu1eu/agb_nysb.htm

North American QSO Party, CW: January 24, 2009
E-mail: (see rules, web upload preferred)
Upload log at: http://www.ncjweb.com/naqplogsubmit.php
Mail: Bruce Horn, WA7BNM
4225 Farmdale Avenue
Studio City, CA 91604
USA
Find rules at: http://www.ncjweb.com/naqprules.php

DARC 10-Meter Contest: January 26, 2009
E-mail: 10m[at]dxhf[dot]darc[dot]de
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.darc.de/referate/dx/xedczr.htm

Run for the Bacon QRP Contest: January 26, 2009
E-mail: (none)
Upload log at: http://www.fpqrp.com/autolog.php
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.fpqrp.com/fpqrprun.php

PODXS 070 Club QRP DX Scramble: January 28, 2009
E-mail: n3dqu[at]yahoo[dot]com
Mail: Jay Budzowski, N3DQU
070 Club QRP DX Scramble

109 S. Northview Ave.
New Castle, PA 16102-1633
USA
Find rules at: http://www.podxs070.com//contests/qrp_dx_scramble_rules2008.htm

Stew Perry Topband Challenge: January 31, 2009
E-mail: tbdc[at]contesting[dot]com
Mail: BARC
15125 SE Bartell Rd
Boring, OR 97009
USA
Find rules at: http://jzap.com/k7rat/stew.rules.txt

Lighthouse Christmas Lights QSO Party: January 31, 2009
E-mail: (none)
Mail: Dave Ruch, NF0J
P.O. Box 20696
Bloomington, MN 55420-0696
USA
Find rules at: http://arlhs.com/LCL-2008-guidelines.html

RAC Winter Contest: January 31, 2009
E-mail: canadawinter[at]rac[dot]ca
Mail: Radio Amateurs of Canada
720 Belfast Road, Suite 217
Ottawa, Ontario K1G 0Z5
Canada
Find rules at: http://www.rac.ca/service/contesting/files/2008%20Rules%20-%20French-English%20with%20Entry%20Form.pdf

SARTG New Year RTTY Contest: January 31, 2009
E-mail: contest[at]sartg[dot]com
Mail: SARTG Contest Manager
Ewe Hakansson, SM7BHM
Pilspetsvagen 4
SE-291 66 KRISTIANSTAD
SWEDEN
Find rules at: http://www.sartg.com/contest/nyrules.htm

AGCW Happy New Year Contest: January 31, 2009
E-mail: hnyc[at]agcw[dot]de
Mail: Daniel Schirmer, DL5SE
Am Teich 15
25917 Stadum
Germany
Find rules at: http://www.agcw.org/en/?Contests:Happy_New_Year_Contest

NRAU-Baltic Contest, CW: January 31, 2009
E-mail: oh6rx[at]sral[dot]fi
Mail: NRAU-Baltic Contest
Jussi-Pekka Sampola
Tolbyn niittytie 23B
FI-65460 Tolby
Finland

Find rules at: http://www.sk3bg.se/contest/nrau.htm

NRAU-Baltic Contest, SSB: January 31, 2009
E-mail: oh6rx[at]sral[dot]fi
Mail: NRAU-Baltic Contest
Jussi-Pekka Sampola
Tolbyn niittytie 23B
FI-65460 Tolby
Finland
Find rules at: http://www.sk3bg.se/contest/nrau.htm

North American QSO Party, SSB: January 31, 2009
E-mail: (see rules, web upload preferred)
Upload log at: http://www.ncjweb.com/naqplogsubmit.php
Mail: Bruce Horn, WA7BNM
4225 Farmdale Avenue
Studio City, CA 91604
USA
Find rules at: http://www.ncjweb.com/naqprules.php

Original QRP Contest: January 31, 2009
E-mail: oqrpc[at]qrpcc[dot]de
Mail: Dr.Hartmut Weber, DJ7ST
Schlesierweg 13
D-38228 SALZGITTER
Germany
Find rules at: http://www.qrpcc.de/contestrules/oqrpr.html

International Naval Contest: February 1, 2009
E-mail: mick_g3lik[at]ntlworld[dot]com
Mail: Mick Puttick, G3LIK
21 Sandyfield Crescent
Cowplain
Waterlooville
Hants, PO8 8SQ
UK
Find rules at: http://www.marinefunker.de/eng/show.php3?pos=18

ARRL RTTY Roundup: February 2, 2009
E-mail: RTTYRU[at]arrl[dot]org
Mail: RTTY Roundup
ARRL
225 Main St.
Newington, CT 06111
USA
Find rules at: http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2009/rtty.html

Kid's Day Contest: February 3, 2009
E-mail: (none)
Mail: (see rules)
Find rules at: http://www.arrl.org/FandES/ead/kd-rules.html

EUCW 160m Contest: February 6, 2009
E-mail: f6cel[at]wanadoo[dot]fr

Mail: Ghislain BARBASON
5 rue de l'Ecluse
F-02190 PIGNICOURT
France
Find rules at: http://www.agcw.de/eucw/eu160.html

MI QRP January CW Contest: February 10, 2009
E-mail: n8xx[at]arrl[dot]net
Mail: Hank Greeb, N8XX
5727 11 Mile Rd. NE
Rockford, MI 49341
USA
Find rules at: http://www.qsl.net/miqrpclub/contest.html

PODXS 070 Club PSKFest: February 10, 2009
E-mail: jbudzowski[at]verizon[dot]net
Mail: Jay Budzowski
070 Club PSKFest
109 S. Northview Ave.
New Castle, PA 16102-1633
USA
Find rules at: http://www.podxs070.com//contests/pskfest_rules.htm

Midwinter Contest, CW: February 15, 2009
E-mail: jckoekkoek[at]home[dot]nl
Mail: PA3GQG, Contest Manager Midwinter Contest
Keulenheide 1
6373 AP Landgraaf
The Netherlands
Find rules at: http://www.qsl.net/pi4ylc/Engels/midwinter%20contest.htm

Midwinter Contest, Phone: February 15, 2009
E-mail: jckoekkoek[at]home[dot]nl
Mail: PA3GQG, Contest Manager Midwinter Contest
Keulenheide 1
6373 AP Landgraaf
The Netherlands
Find rules at: http://www.qsl.net/pi4ylc/Engels/midwinter%20contest.htm

LZ Open Contest: February 16, 2009
E-mail: LZ1GL[at]yahoo[dot]com
Mail: LZ Open Contest
P.O. Box 830
Sofia 1000
Bulgaria
Find rules at: http://www.linkove.com/lz-open-contest/rules/rules.htm

Hungarian DX Contest: February 17, 2009
E-mail: hadx[at]mrasz[dot]axelero[dot]net
Mail: MRASZ
1400 Budapest
P.O. Box 11
Hungary
Find rules at: http://www.ha-dx.com/HADX/html/rules_en.html

UK DX Contest, RTTY: February 17, 2009
  E-mail: ukdxc[at]scotham[dot]net
  Mail: UK DX RTTY Contest Committee
         P.O. Box 7469
         Glasgow, G42 0YD
         Scotland UK
  Find rules at: http://www.ukdx.srars.org/ukdxc.pdf

ARRL January VHF Sweepstakes: February 18, 2009
  E-mail: JanuaryVHF[at]arrl[dot]org
  Mail: January VHF
         ARRL
         225 Main St.
         Newington, CT 06111
         USA
  Find rules at: http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2009/jan-vhf-ss.html

Hunting Lions in the Air Contest: February 28, 2009
  E-mail: lions[at]vsnl[dot]net
  Mail: The HLITA Contest Committee
         Lions Club of Bangalore North
         C/O Lion Ajoy - VU2JHM
         # 9/1, Kshitija, Opp Geetanjali, 5-Cross
         Malleswaram, BANGALORE-560003
         India
  Find rules at: http://lionshuntingintheair.lionwap.org/

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